

# BIG SALE STILL ON!



## WE HAVE CONCLUDED TO CONTINUE OUR Great Special Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods Sale

for another month from February 22 and you will find our prices the same as previously quoted. Now is the time to buy and save money.

THIS SALE IS FOR CASH ONLY!



AGEE BROTHERS, : KEYTESVILLE, MISSOURI

### CORRESPONDENCE

#### Salisbury Squibblings.

Mesdames H. V. Fuller and M. R. Williams are on the sick list.

Dr. C. A. Jennings has recovered from his illness and is again dispensing powders and pills to his patients.

John B. Hayes has purchased the Bottling works at Moberly and will place J. C. Elgin in charge of same.

Matt Hurt and wife have returned from an extended visit to the former's brother, B. Hurt, in De Witt, Ark.

Wm. Potts is bringing on a new stock of Hardware in his building recently vacated by the Hunker Hardware Co.

T. A. La Grass returned home Tuesday night, having abandoned the trip to Venezuela in search of gold for the time being.

G. B. Colyer left Tuesday for his home in Guymon, Okla. He was accompanied by his mother and his daughter, Miss Fannie.

Mrs. Lizzie Oldham was called to Paragould, Ark., Saturday by the illness of her son, Charlie, who is suffering from nervous prostration.

A. P. Warner, J. E. Dameron and Eli Shire, representatives of our largest mercantile establishments, are in the eastern markets buying goods.

The K. P. lodge initiated a class of 18 members Monday night. After the ceremonies were over, delightful refreshments were served at the Delmonico. A fine time is reported.

Mrs. Ollie Scroggin, who has been attending the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Susan Gunn, for several weeks, has returned to her home in Lewis, Kas. Mrs. Gunn's condition continues to improve.

Philip Key, whose serious illness we mentioned last week, died of paralysis and heart trouble at his home, east of town, Friday, and was buried at Yates the following day. He leaves two sons and one daughter to mourn the death of a devoted father.

#### MENDON MENTION.

Rev. Purdue was unable to fill his pulpit Sunday night owing to a spell of la grippe.

Claud Mizner has put up about 200 tons of ice with which to cool the town next Summer.

W. H. Mayo purchased some lots and out-buildings from Cecil Wayland and will build a fine house in the spring.

Chas. Light was thrown from his fine saddle horse Tuesday and sustained a severe sprain in the left arm besides several bruises.

Lon Edwards has leased the Moses Montgomery farm, 1 1-2 miles south of town. Fred Easley will move to the Will Bolze farm, two miles north.

The I. O. O. F.'s gave a free entertainment at their new hall Friday evening. A large crowd was present and a jolly time was had. Everybody is proud of the new hall.

A. W. Lucas of Darlington

and Mrs. Robt. Woods of Slater and Mrs. Annie Hill of Kansas City are at the bedside of their brother, J. P. Lucas, who is dangerously ill of double pneumonia.

The new bank and Odd Fellows' building is the finest in town or will be when finished. It was built at a cost of \$8,000. In building this structure almost everyone here has been benefited directly and everyone indirectly.

Old man dent, we spell his name with a little d because we think him a small man, and who no doubt drank a great deal of branch water in his life, loaded his household goods into a car and left Monday, but we don't know where and care less.

Geo. F. Pellittier of the First National bank of Kansas City was married Tuesday to Miss Hattie Hausler at 2838 Park avenue, the home of the bride's parents, and they arrived here Wednesday to spend their honeymoon with K. L. Brightwell and wife.

Atterbury & Nichols sold F. Y. Austin's farm of 80 acres this week to Chas. Treben for \$4,000. J. W. Ingram sold 160 acres of land to Ed Grotjan for \$10,000. The Christy farm, five miles east of Mendon, was sold Tuesday to the Carpenter Bros. for \$8,450.

The band stand still stands. Judge Butler in not deciding the case at last court reminds us of a justice of the peace we once knew who always swore the jury to try a case according to law and to the best advantage. We are under contract to hollo no matter how it's decided.

J. P. Haskin has moved his barber-shop from the basement of the Brown hotel to one of the new Hill buildings on the south side of Bridge street. Prosser has also purchased an entirely new outfit and now has one of the nicest tonsorial parlors in the county.

AN act has been passed by congress granting pensions to those who served 19 days or more in the military or naval service of the United States during the late civil war or 90 days in the war with Mexico, and who have been honorably discharged from such service. Those who have reached the age of 62 years or over, shall, upon making proof of such facts according to such rules and regulations as the secretary of the interior may provide, be placed upon the pension roll as follows: For 62 years of age, \$12 a month; 70 years, \$15 a month; 75 years or over, \$25 a month; and such pensions shall commence from and after the filing of the application in the bureau of pensions after the passage of this act. Congressman W. W. Rucker of this district will take pleasure in personally looking after the claims of any of his constituents who may be entitled to pensions under the above provisions.

#### Death's Decree.

NEWCOMER:—Henry Newcomer, formerly of Newcomer, this county, died at his home in Corning, Cal., February 12, 1907, aged 86 years, 3 months and 24 days. He was born in Rockford, Pa., and moved to Illinois in '68. In 1901 he, with his son, Earl, moved to Colorado Springs and thence to Corning where he died. He leaves three sons and one daughter, namely: Frank and Earl of Corning, Scott of Nevada and Mrs. Joshua Colvin of Mendon, besides a host of other relatives and friends to mourn his death. Deceased was a brother of Dan Newcomer of near Mendon.

SCOTT:—Oliver T. Scott of Brunswick died of consumption Sunday morning, February 17, 1907. He was born in Virginia June 19, 1847, and first came to Brunswick with his father in 1859, but subsequently made his home in Saline county and returned to Brunswick about 31 or 32 years ago where he had been engaged in the restaurant business for a long time. Deceased was twice married, first to Mrs. Margaret Rider by whom he had four children, of which only one, Bud Scott of DeWitt, is now living. Mr. Scott's second marriage was to Miss Sarah Bailey in 1879 and she, too, bore him four children, two of whom, Bob, aged 22, and Leland, aged 7, with their mother, survive. The husband and father first united with the Baptist church, but there being no organization of that faith at Brunswick he cast his lot with the Christian church in which he had held membership for about 20 years. Mr. Scott was well and favorably known by a great many people in Chariton county who will regret to learn of his death and who condole with the bereaved widow and children in their affliction. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Jas. Rider Monday, and interment was had in Elliott Grove cemetery.

KNAPPENBERGER:—Mrs. Mary J. Knappenberger, relict of the late John Knappenberger of Brunswick, died Wednesday morning, February 20, 1907, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Kennedy of Toledo, Ohio, where she had gone to spend the winter. Mrs. Knappenberger's maiden name was Miss Mary J. Ross and she was born October 30, 1835, was a daughter of Eld. Jas. R. Ross who died in Brunswick two years ago last November. She was married to John Knappenberger at Bladensburg, Ill., January 11, 1853, and lived there and at Macomb, Ill., until January, 1866, when they moved to Brunswick and had since made it their home with the exception of the four years

they resided in Keytesville from 1897 to 1901 during Mr. Knappenberger's incumbency of the office of county treasurer. They were the parents of eight children, five of whom grew to manhood and womanhood. These were: Dr. Wm. A. Knappenberger, who died in October, 1893; J. Ed of DeWitt; M. A. of Kansas City; Mrs. Eva Owen of Brunswick, and Mrs. J. Frank Kennedy of Toledo, Ohio. The elder Knappenberger departed this life October 19, 1903. Besides the four living children named there are seven grandchildren and one sister and two brothers who survive Mrs. Knappenberger. She had been a faithful, zealous and conscientious member of the Christian church ever since her early girlhood and was one of the kindest and best women the editor of the COURIER ever knew. We tender our sympathies to the bereaved children in their loss of such a devoted mother. Funeral services will be held at Brunswick this afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will take place at Elliott Grove cemetery.

#### Cupid's Conquests.

GROTIAN-REDDING:—Otto O. Grotjan of Slater and Miss Anna L. Redding were married at Dalton Sunday, February 17, 1907, Rev. G. F. Meyer making the twain one.

CROTTS-WILSON:—T. H. Crotts and Miss Osa Belle Wilson, both of Triplett, were married at Brunswick Monday, February 18, 1907, Justice G. W. Cunningham tying the nuptial knot.

BLASINYIN-PROTSMAN:—John Blasinyin of Kansas City and Miss Nora Protzman of Dalton were married at Keytesville Saturday, February 16, 1907, Rev. F. L. Alexander sealing the plighted vows.

GALLEMORE-PARENT:—W. S. Gallemore, Sr., of Salisbury and Mrs. Catherine B. Parent of near Musselfork were married at the home of the bride Thursday February 14, 1907, Justice E. A. Chapman officiating.

SHEARON-DICKERSON:—Thos. Shearon, the affable merchant of Chranville, and Miss Julia Dickerson, an excellent young lady of near Huntsville, were married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dickerson, Thursday, February 14, 1907, Rev. A. B. Culbertson launching their hymeneal bark. The COURIER takes much pleasure in uniting with their numerous friends in extending congratulations to Mr. Shearon and his fair bride.

#### Farm Hand Wanted.

I want a good all-round hand to do general farm work at the county poorfarm. Will pay \$25 a month and board.

M. T. DANENPORT, Superintendent.

#### ADDITIONAL LOCAL

Jasper N. Foglesong and family of near Dalton will shortly move to Ames, Okla. Our best wishes go with them to their new home.

E. W. Herring sold his residence in Keytesville Tuesday to B. F. Brewer, Sr., for \$2,200. Mr. Herring will build a new home.

Rev. Franc. Mitchell and wife of Keytesville were made quite ill for a while Tuesday evening from eating something at supper that is supposed to have contained some kind of poison. Nothing serious resulted, however.

The editress of the Salisbury Press-Spectator, who was for several years a school marm and ought to know better, violates that rule of grammar which says that a singular noun requires a singular verb. In speaking of the burning of Will McCurry's house at Salisbury Thursday of last week she says: "Most of the contents were saved."

Dr. L. O. McKee combines beauty, style and comfort in the fitting of eye-glasses and spectacles. Thorough examination. He will be at the Brown hotel Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 28 and March 1 and 2. At Dr. Kirkpatrick's office in Dalton Tuesday and Wednesday, February 26 and 27.

W. A. and Geo. Staibus and their sister, Mrs. Craig, all of near Brunswick, returned Friday from Ft. Madison, Iowa, where they had been to attend the funeral of their brother, Dr. John C. Staibus, a dentist of St. Louis, whose death was due to quinsy. Dr. Staibus was a son of Christian Staibus of near Brunswick and was born in Virginia, but came to this county with his parents when a mere boy. He had been practicing dentistry for the past 14 years, the first 10 of which he spent in Ft. Madison and the past four in St. Louis. He leaves a wife, who was formerly a Ft. Madison lady, but no children. Dr. Staibus ranked high in his chosen profession, and his death is deeply mourned by his wife and a large number of friends and relatives.

B. F. Forte, the Wabash section foreman at Keytesville station, came up town Wednesday night and got crazy drunk and proceeded to make things lively by threatening to do the "wild west" act with a pistol he had on his person. City Marshal Dick Tisdale arrested the offender against the peace and dignity of the city in Moore Bros.' grocery store and, with the assistance of Sheriff S. J. Shaughnessy, loaded Forte into a wheelbarrow and took him to the calaboose. While en route to

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

##### JUSTICE OF THE PEACE AND MEMBER OF TOWNSHIP BOARD

We are authorized to announce H. A. WHEELER as a candidate for Justice of the Peace and Member of the Township Board of Keytesville township, subject to the ballot of the voters at the township election to be held Tuesday, March 26, 1907.

We are authorized to announce W. M. P. JARED as a candidate for Justice of the Peace and Member of the Township Board of Keytesville township, subject to the ballot of the voters at the township election to be held Tuesday, March 26, 1907.

the cooler the prisoner yelled like unto a Commanche Indian. The next morning he set fire to and destroyed the bedding and bed clothes in the city bastille and would have been cremated had not C. L. Herring, the blacksmith, rushed to his rescue and broke the lock off the calaboose door and got Forte out. On a plea of guilty before Mayor H. J. West to the charge of being drunk and disorderly the defendant was fined \$1 and costs. He also acknowledged his guilt before Justice Wm. P. Jared to the charge of carrying concealed weapons and was fined \$50 and costs. He has agreed to pay for the damage done to the calaboose. He also "made arrangements" to pay his fines and frizzes.

Geo. R. Layher, who wears the belt for being the most accommodating, popular and efficient agent the Wabash ever had at Keytesville station, orders his COURIER changed from Lexington, Ky., to St. Louis where he now holds a responsible and lucrative position as weight inspector for the Wabash. By the way, George is the only subscriber the COURIER has who is liberal enough to pay us \$1.50 a year for our paper, and the COURIER now has nearly 3,000 subscribers, too. He is entitled to an extra share of "heaven's blessings" we implore upon those whose names appear under the caption of our "Roll of Honor" every week.

We note in the Salisbury Democrat that J. B. Dameron and Emil Sutter played the David Crockett coon skin game on T. M. Bentley Monday to a finish. Mink skins have been bringing such a fancy price that Tom concluded to lay up a few for the market, and had purchased several nice ones. Mr. Dameron discovered where Mr. Bentley had stored some of them away in the bank, and, securing a nice one, turned it over to Emil Sutter, who struck a trade with Tom, and, after much dickering, managed to dispose of the pelt at \$1.50, as Mr. Bentley said the skin was of very mediocre quality. The boys got on to it, and Tom got his money and pelt back by treating the whole crowd.

The dark horses often run best in elections because their stains are not seen so well.